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Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni Chief Clerk/Administrator South Carolina Public Service Commission 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210 SC PUBLIC SERVICE

Re:

Petition of the Office of Regulatory Staff for a Rule-Making Proceeding to Examine the Requirements and Standards to Be Used by the Commission When Evaluating Applications for Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) Status and When Making Annual Certification of ETC Compliance to the Federal Communications Commission

Docket No. 2006-37-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

The Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") plans to participate in the October 12, 2006 workshop.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

C. Lessie Hammonds